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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: EFIN, EIND, IT

SUBJECT: STATE ELECTRICAL COMPANY APPROACH ON EXIM FINANCING  
FOR ENERGY PROJECT

REF: ROME 14621; STATE 227720

1. AS EMBASSY IS AWARE, EXIMBANK HAS PROVIDED FINANCING TO ENEL TO ASSIST ITS PRESENT NUCLEAR POWER PROGRAM. THE BANK WOULD BE PLEASED TO DISCUSS WITH ENEL ITS PLANS FOR FURTHER NUCLEAR POWER DEVELOPMENT IN ORDER TO EXPLORE ENEL'S FINANCING REQUIREMENTS AND THE EXTENT TO WHICH THE BANK MIGHT BE ABLE TO ASSIST.

2. EXIMBANK SUGGESTS THAT ENEL BE INFORMED OF THE BANK'S READINESS TO UNDERTAKE SUCH DISCUSSIONS AND, IF THIS IS AGREEABLE TO ENEL, THAT ARRANGEMENTS BE PROMPTLY MADE TO BEGIN THEM.

3. AT RISK OF BEING OVERCAUTIOUS, EXIMBANK REQUESTS THAT EMBASSY  
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ADVISE ENEL THAT BANK'S WILLINGNESS TO DISCUSS MATTER WITH ENEL

SHOULD NOT BE TAKEN AS INDICATION THAT BANK WILL BE ABLE TO ASSIST  
IN FINANCING THE NUCLEAR POWER PROGRAM OF ENEL.

FYI: BANK HAS THIS RESERVATION LARGELY BECAUSE OF ITS BELIEF  
THAT AMOUNTS INVOLVED ARE VERY LARGE AND LIMITATION ON BANK'S  
CAPABILITIES MAY RESTRICT ITS ABILITY TO BE FULLY RESPONSIVE TO  
ENEL'S REQUIREMENTS. INGERSOLL

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